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A1 wherein the visual indicator is displayed at least partially outside of the document,
wherein the bookmark object comprises user-modifiable properties corresponding to the
visual indicator.

8. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the bookmark object is generated within a user space
separate from the document.

A2 9. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein the bookmark object comprises information linking
the bookmark object to the desired part of the document.

A3 12. (Amended) The method of claim 1, further comprising steps of:
receiving a removal signal corresponding to the visual indicator; and
responsive to the removal signal, removing, from the display, the visual indicator and
eliminating the bookmark object.

A4 20. (Amended) A computer-readable medium comprising computer-executable components for
bookmarking a document rendered on a display, the computer-executable components comprising:
a receiver component that is capable of taking as input a first selection signal indicating
selection of a desired part of the document;
a display component that is capable of causing, in response to the first selection signal, a
visual indicator to be displayed with the desired part of the document, wherein the display
component is capable of causing the visual indicator to be displayed at least partially outside of the
document; and
a generating component that, responsive to the first selection signal, is capable of creating a
bookmark object represented by the visual indicator, wherein the generating component is capable of
providing, as part of the bookmark object, user-modifiable properties corresponding to the visual
indicator.

A5 29. (Amended) The computer-readable medium of claim 26, wherein the user-modifiable properties
comprising information defining at least one of: a color of the visual indicator, a shape of the visual

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indicator, a font of the visual indicator, a title of the visual indicator and textual content of the visual indicator.

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36. (Amended) A computer-readable medium having stored thereon a data structure comprising:
a first data field comprising information linking the data structure to a document;
a second data field comprising information identifying a part of the document being marked by the data structure, wherein the second data field comprises information identifying the part of the document being marked by the data structure that is at least partially outside of the document; and
a third data field comprising information regarding user-modifiable properties of a visual indicator corresponding to the data structure.

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41. (Amended) The computer-readable medium of claim 36, wherein the information regarding user-modifiable properties comprises information defining at least one of: a color of the visual indicator, a shape of the visual indicator, a font of the visual indicator, a title of the visual indicator and textual content of the visual indicator or links to other locations.

Please add the following new claims 45-57:

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45. (New) The method of claim 1, further comprising steps of:
receiving a second selection signal indicative of the selection device pointing to another desired part of a same page of the document; and
responsive to the second selection signal, displaying a second visual indicator representative of a second bookmark with the other desired part of the page of the document.
46. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the user-modifiable property comprises information defining a shape of the visual indicator.
47. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the user-modifiable property comprises information defining a color of the visual indicator.
48. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the user-modifiable property comprises information

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defining a font of the visual indicator.

49. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the user-modifiable property comprises information defining a title of the visual indicator.

AB 50. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the user-modifiable property comprises information defining textual content of the visual indicator.

51. (New) The method of claim 50, wherein the textual content includes a link.

52. (New) The method of claim 1, further comprising the step of displaying a list of user-modifiable properties corresponding to the visual indicator.

53. (New) The method of claim 52, further comprising the step of receiving at least a second selection signal indicative of the selection device pointing to a desired user-modifiable property in the list.

54. (New) The method of claim 53, wherein the user-modifiable property is the desired user-modifiable property.

55. (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the user-modifiable property comprises information defining a default property.

56. (New) The method of claim 13, wherein another part of the document is a different page of the document.

57. (New) In a computer system having a graphical user interface including a display and a selection device, a method of bookmarking a document rendered on the display, the method comprising the steps of:

receiving a first selection signal indicative of the selection device pointing to a desired part of

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the document;

responsive to the first selection signal, displaying a visual indicator representative of a bookmark with the desired part of the document;

receiving a second selection signal indicative of the selection device pointing to another desired part of a same page of the document; and

responsive to the second selection signal, displaying a second visual indicator representative of a second bookmark with the other desired part of same page of the document.